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1. Recruitment and induction into the Army in Rumania is carried on for youths 19 years and over. Any youth having a former bourgeoisie background is not inducted into the Army, but placed into labor detachments.

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This detachment was composed of 310 young men. My unit was dispatched to the Botosani area during the winter to clear the railroad lines in that area which were snowed in. Because of the lack of mechanical equipment and machinery to clear the railroad tracks the work was done by hand and shovel by my labor detachment in that unit. The railroads were tied up for approximately two weeks and traffic was at a standstill.

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